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NEWS RELEASE

Acting United States Attorney Laurie Magid and Philadelphia District Attorney Lynne Abraham today announced the filing of a one-count Indictment against Raynaldo Padilla, charging him with being a convicted felon in possession of a firearm. This case was investigated by the Philadelphia Police Department and the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco & Firearms. This case is part of Project Safe Neighborhoods, a federal initiative to identify and prosecute firearm offenders in federal court, where the defendant is likely to receive a substantial sentence upon conviction. If convicted, defendant faces a maximum of 10 years imprisonment.

INFORMATION REGARDING THE DEFENDANT

NAME	ADDRESS	AGE
Raynaldo Padilla	Philadelphia	40

This case is being prosecuted by Special Assistant United States Attorney Vicki Markovitz.

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